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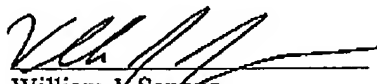
RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement in the Office Action dated October 11, 2005, the applicant hereby elects to prosecute the invention of Group III, claims 24-42, and hereby withdraws claims 1-23 and 43, it being understood that it may be possible to return one or more of these claims later by rejoinder.

In response to the species election, the applicant elects the species of claim 29, claims 30-42 believed to be readable thereon.

Respectfully submitted,



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